

Construction of a Bridge across Honnehole near Alur.

Q.—661 Sri U. M. MADAPPA (Chamarajanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether an estimate has been prepared for the construction of a bridge across Honnehole near Alur on the Alur-Doddarayapete Road;

(b) the estimated expenditure thereof;

(c) the date of preparation of such estimate;

(d) whether sanction has been recently accorded for the inclusion of the above scheme in the Second Five-Year Plan?

A.—Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH (Minister for Local Self-Government).—

(a) Yes.

(b) Rs. 1,13,000

(c) 1948-49.

(d) No.

Refusal to Permit Loudspeakers at the Meeting of Maharashtra Samithi, Belgaum.

Q.—710. Sri N. O. SAMAJI (Belgaum II).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether they are aware that a meeting on behalf of Maharashtra Eki-karan Samithi was held at 6-30 P.M. on the 21st May 1957 in the Maruthi Temple at Belgaum;

(b) whether they are aware that permission to use the loud speakers was refused;

(c) the rules applicable for issuing such permission; and the date on which the rules were framed;

(d) whether they will place a copy of the rules on the Table of the House;

(e) whether they are aware that the loudspeakers were used on the occasion of some function in the above temple on 8th April 1957?

A.—Sri C. M. POONACHA (Minister for Home Affairs and Industries).—

(a) Yes.

(b) No application for permission to use loudspeakers at the said meeting was received.

(c) & (d) A copy of the rules framed by the District Magistrate under section 33 (1) (r) (iii) of the Bombay Police Act, 1951 (Bombay XXII of 1951) under his Notification No. DC/POL/1486 dated 5th February 1955 is placed on the Table of the House. Placed in the Legislature Library No. 17—L.A. 1957.

(e) No application for permission to use loudspeaker in the said temple on 8th April 1957 was received and no such permission was granted to any person.

Member's Representation

*Sri B. SHAM SUNDER (Bhalki).—Sir, I want to represent something. When the House was sitting in June or July, I had sent some questions and am still expecting answers. Some 20 days ago, I sent a short-notice question for which again I am expecting answer. I do not know what has happened to my questions.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Please see me afterwards. I will try to expedite the replies.

Sri B. SHAM SUNDER.—Last time you read something about that statement on the adjournment motion and the closure motion. I do not know the practice throughout India. I think in most of the Assemblies whenever we speak, the next day, we get a manuscript copy of the speech for correction and approval. We are not getting our speeches for approval and there is a lot of misunderstanding about it. The other day I had moved the closure motion before the Hon'ble Member said something. But it is mentioned there that I moved the closure motion when he was speaking. That is wrong. The exact situation at that time in the House was difficult even for the Chair to understand. I know it fully well. I had to bring to the notice of the